

Study Guide

April 12, 2020

Easter Sunday, April 12th (I took time to pray today)

Read: Matthew 28:1-10 This is the story of the women going to the tomb of Jesus and found out that Jesus was not there but had risen.

Questions: Would you consider reflecting more deeply on what it means to be reminded of an empty tomb? How will you allow this story to affect your life as we move forward?

Monday, April 13th (I took time to pray today)

Read: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 A very uplifting Psalm to remind us who the Lord is.

Questions: Do you see how the Lord is described in this Psalm? Does this offer you encouragement as you think of the things you have gone through in your life?

Tuesday, April 14th (I took time to pray today)

Read: Colossians 3:1-4 This Scripture reminds us that we should keep our eyes on things above and not on earthly things.

Questions: What are you more focused on? The things that you see and hear from the world or on what you believe about God's word?

Wednesday, April 15th (I took time to pray today)

Read: John 20:1-18 Some of this talks about Mary Magdalene going to the tomb and bringing back Peter and John to confirm what she saw. Also, after Peter and John left, Mary stayed at the tomb and Jesus appeared to her. She did not recognize Him at first.

Questions: How well do you do at recognizing Jesus? Do you really want to be more in-tune so that you always recognize Jesus? Is there anything you could do so that you would recognize Him more easily?

Thursday, April 16th (I took time to pray today)

Read: Matthew 28:20 "and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you and surely I am with you always to the very end of the age."

Questions: Did you remember that this part is included in the Great Commission? How well do you do at believing that Jesus is with you always? How well do you do at teaching others and obeying what is in the Bible?

Friday, April 17th (I took time to pray today)

Read: John 11:25-26 "Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die, and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?'"

Questions: How does this impact your life? How do you understand this? A great question, "Do you believe this?"

Saturday, April 18th (I took time to pray today)

Read: 1 Corinthians 15:21 "For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man."

Questions: How will you live this life you have been given? Do you agree with this verse that we will die like any other man but our resurrection will only come if we believe and accept Jesus? If you are not in a relationship with Jesus, will you change that today?

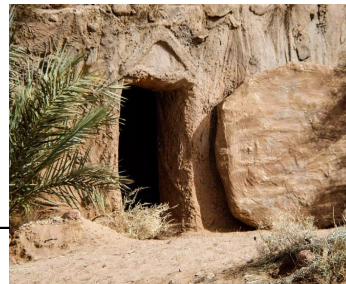
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*Through God's love for us we can't help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Bob or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.*

Notes: today I pray



## Free from Death



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Pray,  
and  
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He is Risen



## Prayers For The Week

**Sunday:** Jesus, thank you for the empty tomb. Reveal to me what this means to me in my life. Let Your love for me be reflected in all that I do today. Amen.

**Monday:** Lord, forgive me when I forget all the things You have gotten me through in the past. Thank You that You are still with me as I go through the difficult times of today. Amen.

**Tuesday:** God, thank You for Your word. Help me this day, this week, to be more focused on You rather than what I am hearing from the world. Amen.

**Wednesday:** Lord, sometimes I don't recognize You in my life. Show me how to be more aware of Your presence in my life and how I am to respond to this. Amen.

**Thursday:** Jesus, thank You for your promise that you are always with me. Show me who you want me to teach about You and help me to be obedient to Your word. Amen.

**Friday:** Jesus, thank you that You are the resurrection and the life. Help me to believe in You more fully and to draw closer to You. Amen.

**Saturday:** God, thank you for Your promise of eternity. Let me take steps today to be assured of spending eternity with You. Amen.

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